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Applicant's response dated December 9, 2005 is incomplete insofar as it fails to elect an ultimate species of therapeutic agent, e.g., chlorhexidine.

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